

HUERTA MAY DECLARE HIMSELF THIS WEEK

Mexican Constitution Compels Congress to Pass on Election in 10 Days.

FINANCIAL CRASH NEAR

U. S. Will Not Alter Its Policy Before Provisional President Makes Move.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—With practically the entire administration in Washington, including the President, either making stump speeches or taking a half holiday, the Mexican situation remained at a standstill today so far as this Government is concerned. Those officials who were found at their offices insisted there is nothing to be done but wait until Huerta has shown what he intends to do and then wait again for President Wilson to act accordingly. Reports that Europe is impatient of the delay were not commented on officially.

Ignorance was professed at the State Department of the gathering of the German, Russian and Swedish Ministers at Vera Cruz, whether Capt. Hurns, military attaché of the American Embassy, has also gone from Mexico City. There is reason to believe, however, that the visit of these Ministers has an important bearing on the situation so far as European governments are concerned, and the fact that the German representative had a talk with John Lind, President Wilson's spokesman in Mexico, confirmed this belief. Two German warships are at Vera Cruz, as well as an American naval squadron, and it is understood the German Minister wished to confer with the commanders of the German ships.

The financial situation in Mexico City is admittedly a factor in the present crisis, according to advisers received here. The exchange rate continues falling and business men are reported as entertaining the gravest fears for the immediate future.

Crash Is Expected.

A financial crash in the capital would surprise no one. The difficulty when Huerta had in meeting the Government payroll yesterday is pointed to as an indication of how the shoe is pinching him. His control over the army is regarded as directly proportionate to his ability to pay. Failure to pay the troops would be likely to precipitate an expedition which might completely change every aspect of the political situation, it is predicted. A break in the situation is expected within another week. The law requires that Congress shall meet within fifteen days after the elections are held to canvass the result. This time limit will expire a week from last Monday, so that it is believed that by the end of next week President Huerta will be found declaring himself as to his programme. A declaration of his intentions might be issued before that time, but it is more generally believed that Huerta will hold back as long as he can. That the election of Blanquet will be declared to be the result of last Sunday's voting is the conviction here.

How confidently European Governments are expecting for this intervention by the United States was plainly indicated today by one in position to speak with authority. The only question in doubt in Europe, according to this authority, who has but recently arrived in the United States, is as to when President Wilson will take the necessary steps.

The foreign Governments consider that ever since last summer President Wilson has been intervening in Mexico, though without the use of force. His belief that Huerta must go and his repudiation of the results of the recent elections, in advance of the day they were held, are regarded as nothing less than acts of intervention.

Armed Intervention Expected. Intervention by diplomatic methods having failed, however, European Governments consider there is nothing left for Mr. Wilson to do but resort to forcible intervention to impose his will upon Mexico. The President's promised announcement of policy is awaited with the greatest interest by members of the diplomatic corps here, who are unable to see but one plan left to the United States, that of intervention by force, for the purpose of restoring peace.

It was learned here today that there is no reason to believe that European governments will be brought into any way for the elimination of Huerta as the dominating figure in Mexico.

DENY FALL OF CHIHUAHUA.

Federals Say Mercado Has 3,000 Men to Defend City.

EL PASO, Nov. 1.—According to federal officials in Juarez the Federal army holds Chihuahua City, capital of the State, with the rebels near by.

The Juarez officials maintain that the Federals have no intention of giving up the city and deny that there is any disengagement between Gen. Mercado, the military governor and commander, and his subordinates. They declare that Mercado has over three thousand men, and while the rebel commander of Pancho Villa is reported to be ten thousand strong this is generally discredited by military men here, who say it would be impossible to sustain that number of men or even half the number in a country already devastated of everything in the way of food and forage by a war of two years duration. A year ago when Pascual Orozco was in the field against Madero he had less than ten thousand men and was forced to give up the campaign and retreat to Juarez for lack of subsistence for men and horses.

Villa is reported from rebel sources as waiting for the arrival of Gen. Obregon with troops from Sonora. This will require several days before an attack can be made if the report is true. It also indicates that his force is not as large as reported.

KNEW MADERO WAS TO BE SHOT.

Marshall Quoted as Saying He Was Asked to Stop Murder.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 1.—Thomas R. Marshall, Vice-President of the United States, was quoted today as saying that he was appealed to to prevent the murder of ex-President Francisco I. Madero, his brother Gustavo and Vice-President Suarez of Mexico.

High degree Masons in the United States, the printed interview says, received telegrams asking them to appeal to Huerta to spare the life of the deposed officers of the Mexican republic. "I am a thirty-third degree, prominent Rite Mason," Vice-President Marshall was quoted as saying this morning aboard a Santa Fe train bound for Phoenix, Ariz. "and I received such a telegram asking me as a brother Mason, to make a personal appeal for the lives of the Maderos."

"In my opinion, the United States can never recognize Huerta," the Vice-President is quoted as saying as he ended the interview.

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BEILIS FAINTS IN COURT; HALTS TRIAL

Overcome When Listening to Charge That Yushinsky Boy Was Tortured.

BEKHTEREFF'S TESTIMONY

Medical Expert Believes Murder Had No Religious Character.

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN.

KIEFF, Nov. 1.—Mendel Beilis, the Jew on trial on a charge of "ritual murder," fainted in court today and the hearing was adjourned.

Dr. Bekhtereff, one of the medical experts, was asked whether in his opinion Yushinsky, the Christian boy, was murdered for religious purposes or by drunken members of a band of thieves. He said he believed the murder was the crime of alcoholics or epileptics and maintained that it was impossible to attribute a religious character to it. This evidence caused a deep impression.

Dr. Kosoworoff was recalled to the stand and he endeavored to substantiate his previous assertion that the wounds on the boy's head were not mortal, that while alive he had been bleeding for five minutes before he received the stab in the heart, and that the object of the criminals was to obtain blood and torture their victim as much as possible.

In listening to this arraignment Beilis, on whom the trial has had a very weakening effect, nervously clutched the arms of his chair and then suddenly leaned forward and fell to the floor unconscious. He was taken from the court room and attended by physicians.

ERNEST ASSUMES DUKEDOM.

Kaiser's Son-in-Law Promises Allegiance to the Empire.

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN. BERLIN, Nov. 1.—Prince Ernest of Cumberland, who married Princess Victoria Louise, daughter of the Kaiser, on May 24, assumed the government of the Duchy of Brunswick today, at the same time issuing a statement in which he formally promised unwavering loyalty to the German empire, thus bridging the gulf that has kept the Guelph and Hohenzollern families apart for nearly half a century.

By his statement the new Duke of Brunswick tacitly renounces any claim to the Hanoverian throne, a claim which has never been renounced by his father, the Duke of Cumberland, who has lived in exile in Austria since 1866, when the kingdom of Hanover was annexed to the empire after the war with Austria, in which Hanover took the side of the dual monarchy.

The formal entry of the Duke and Duchess into Brunswick will take place on Monday.

21 DROWN OFF SPANISH COAST.

Unknown Steamer Founders Near Betanc—All Hands Lost.

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN. MADRID, Nov. 1.—An unknown Spanish steamer foundered to-day off the light house at Betanc, the northernmost point of Spain, and the crew of twenty-one were drowned.

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OPERA IN ENGLISH IN LONDON.

"Joan of Arc" With Tableau Vivant Is Well Received.

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN. LONDON, Nov. 2.—The latest attempt to popularize opera in English started last night with Raymond Rose's new opera, "Joan of Arc," at Covent Garden. It was beautifully staged and the costumes were gorgeous and dazzling. No more brilliant spectacle has ever been seen in an English opera house.

Unfortunately the score is exceedingly reminiscent of many of the masterpieces of Wagner, Puccini and Verdi.

An original departure, and one which was received with considerable favor, was the introduction into grand opera of a tableau vivant. Indeed there was more tableau than opera got a cordial reception, and the opera got a cordial reception.

PARAGUAY PREPARES FOR T. R.

Big Posters in Buenos Ayres Call Him "Greatest American."

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN. BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 1.—Paraguay is preparing a big reception for Col. Roosevelt. Big posters are displayed throughout Buenos Ayres with a photograph of the Colonel described as "in every way the greatest American."

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